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SUBJECT: POLISH-MALAGASY RELATIONS

REF: TANANARIVE 1657

1. AGREEMENT TO ESTABLISH DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS AT THE AMBASSADORIAL LEVEL APPEARS TO BE THE MOST IMPORTANT IMMEDIATE RESULT OF MALAGASY FOREIGN MINISTER DIDIER RATSIRAKA'S NOVEMBER 26-28 VISIT TO POLAND. HOWEVER, NO DETAILS REGARDING IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS AGREEMENT WERE ANNOUNCED. RATSIRAKA WAS RECEIVED BY COUNCIL OF STATE CHAIRMAN JABLONSKI AND PREMIER JAROSZEWICZ, AND HE ALSO CONDUCTED TALKS WITH FOREIGN MINISTER OLSZOWSKI, FOREIGN TRADE MINISTER OLECHOWSKI, AND VICE MINISTER OF SHIPPING PERKOWICZ, ACCORDING TO THE COMMUNIQUE ISSUED FOLLOWING THE VISIT.

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2. THE CENTRAL PRESS AND TELEVISION GAVE THE VISIT MODERATE COVERAGE, GENERALLY STRESSING THE FAVORABLE PROSPECTS FOR BILATERAL ECONOMIC COOPERATION, THE IMPORTANCE OF DETENTE, POLAND'S SUPPORT FOR THE NON-ALIGNED, AND ITS INTEREST IN EXPANDING RELATIONS WITH AFRICA. RATSIRAKA REPORTEDLY EXPRESSED MALAGASY INTEREST IN ACHIEVING ECONOMIC INDEPENDENCE AND IN INCREASING ITS BILATERAL TIES WITH ALL COUNTRIES, INCLUDING THE SOCIALIST ONES. PRESS REPORTS INDICATE THAT DISCUSSIONS OF BILATERAL TOPICS DEALT PRIMARILY WITH DEVELOPING COMMERCIAL RELATIONS AND LAUNCHING COOPERATIVE EFFORTS IN THE AREAS OF SHIPPING, FISHING, AND MARITIME TRAINING.

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